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Appln No.: **10/010,435**

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**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) TO REVIVE  
AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION**

Sir:

Applicant received a Notice of Abandonment dated June 14, 2004, in the above-identified application. The Notice stated that abandonment has occurred because Applicant failed to timely file a reply to Office action mailed November 20, 2003.

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) to revive the aforementioned application. The failure to file a reply to Office action was inadvertent and unintentional.

Submitted herewith, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), are the following:

- (1) Copy of Notice of Abandonment dated June 14, 2004;
- (2) Petition and fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m) charged to our Deposit account No. 06-1135 (**Transaction No. 18245**) in the amount of \$685.00 for small entity;
- (3) Response to Office action mailed November 20, 2003.

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Petition to Revive

Attorney Docket No. 72523

Applicant submits that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply, May 20, 2004, until the filing of this grantable petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b) was unintentional.

Allowance of the instant petition and revival of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/010,435 is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application to Deposit Account No.06-1135.

Respectfully submitted,

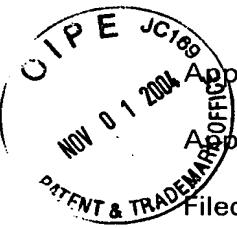
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

- An Appendix including amended drawing figures labeled as "Annotated Marked-up Drawings" is enclosed.
- A Petition for Extension of Time for reply within the 1st month is attached.
- No additional fee is required.

**Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended**

	As Amended	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	- <u>3</u>	** = <u>0</u>	x \$ 86.00	= \$ 0.00
Total Claims	<u>20</u>	- <u>20</u>	* = <u>0</u>	x \$ 18.00	= \$ 0.00
Fee for Multiply Dependent Claims				\$ 290.00	
* * At least 3				Total Additional Fee	\$ 0.00
* At least 20					

- Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status, thus reducing the fee by half to:

\$ 0.00

- A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Director is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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